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Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) by Express Mail is the complete patent application of Kazuhiro Kondo, Michio Oishi, and Osamu Ohara, entitled PARTIAL HOMOLOGOUS RECOMBINATION OF DNA CHAIN, executed on February 27, 2004.

- X 1. An application consisting of 46 pages of specification, including the claims and the Abstract of the Disclosure, and 5 sheets of drawings is attached. A sequence listing in computer readable form and in paper copy form in 2 pages for the above-identified application as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(c) and (e) is attached. The contents of the computer readable copy and paper copy of the sequence listing are identical in accordance with §§ 1.821(f).
- X 2. A newly executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
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- X 4. Priority of Application No. 2003-068176, filed in Japan on March 13, 2003, is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119. A certified copy of the priority document will be filed at a later date.

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